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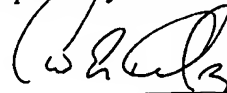
Sir:

Applicant requests a refund of the difference between the two-month-extension fee for a large entity (fee code 1252) and the two-month extension fee for a small entity (fee code 2252) in the amount of \$225. The large-entity fee was charged to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448 on January 26, 2005 (copy of the January 2005 statement enclosed; see page 3).

This was an error because Applicant is entitled to small entity status. Applicant properly claimed small entity status in a "Fee transmittal for FY 2004" form filed December 5, 2003. A copy is enclosed herewith.

Please contact the undersigned at (617) 832-1176 with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT A

Sir:

Applicant responds to the Office Action dated August 19, 2004. The
Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee occasioned by this paper, or credit any
overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448, Reference FTW-004.01.

Please amend the application as set forth on the following pages.

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